







# THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

## CHRISTIE & COMPANY.

### Special Bargains For Tuesday And Balance of the Week.

**Laundry Soap.**  
50 cases U. S. mail sundry soap, large cakes, 3 for 10

**Toilet Soap.**  
300 boxes witch hazel toilet soap, 10c a box of 3 cakes.

**Florida Water.**  
2 cases Florida water 9c a bottle.

**Bay Rum.**  
2 cases bay rum 5c a bottle.

**A New Article for Us to Handle.**  
One solid case Peoria chewing gum, Wintergreen or Peppermint flavors, 1c a package of 6 cakes. The lowest price ever quoted for a first class article, we make this low price simply as an advertisement.

**Crochet Bed Spreads.**  
2 cases crochet bed spreads to be let out this week at 70c each. Values for \$1.00 to \$1.50 goods are commonly known as manufacturers seconds, a very little if anything the matter with them.

**Wash Goods.**  
Tuesday morning we will offer 50 pieces of fine printed wash goods at 5c a yard, most of them sold previously at 12 1/2c a yard, some of the goods as high as 20c a yard. Not more than 10 yards to any customer.

**See our Shirt Waists.**  
30c each, a good percale waist.  
30c each, percale waist with white collar.  
50c each, lawn waist with white collar.  
75c each, lawn waist with white collar.

**80c each, lace stripe lawn waists, white collar.**  
**90c each, lappet mull waists, white collar.**  
**\$1.25 each, the same with white collar and cuffs, were \$3.00.**

**See our Silk Waists.**  
**\$1.00 each, changeable Austrian silk with stock collar.**  
**\$2.50 each, the same with white collar.**  
**\$5.00 each, striped wash silk, white collar.**  
**\$3.50 each, checked wash silk, white collar.**  
**\$4.75 each, changeable Tulle silk, white collar.**  
**\$2.75 each, black surah silk, stock collar.**  
**\$3.95 each, black China silk, white collar.**  
**\$3.00 each, figured wash silk, white collar.**

**Separate Skirts.**  
Homespun linen skirts 90c each  
Homespun linen skirts, fancy stripes, \$1.25 each.

**Capes.**  
Our prices on capes are much lower than they were one month ago. See the really first-class capes we are selling at \$1.95 and \$2.50. We have them cheaper and better ones as well as the two quoted above.

**Dress Goods.**  
We are desirous of reducing our dress goods stock by one half and prices will be out to do the trick as quickly as possible.

**Free Gift.**  
Every customer that buys \$5 worth this week will be presented with a five foot bamboo easel.

## GLEASON'S GLEANINGS.

We glean from our large and complete stock of Groceries the following to special mention as leading goods in their line. Quality considered the goods have no competition at the price.

Honey Dew Sugar Corn Pars Succotash All leading Brands of Canned Goods Raisins-O, Postum Cereal, Wheat Coffee and a full stock of cereals and pure cereal preparations.

**N. T. Gleason.**  
Holden Street

## Gas Stoves

They are used universally in larger cities, and at prices above local charges for Gas.

We sell them all at COST and connect with separate meter.

Special Price for Gas used for cooking.

You can be in bed longer in the morning and linger longer over the bargain counter in the afternoon.

With a gas stove your kitchen is always cool.

Call and examine the stoves.

## North Adams Gas Light Co

71 Main Street.

## Special Sale of Hall Racks

See them in my show window.

Latest designs, Cannot be beat in quality or price. Wisconsin Peerless Refrigerators have no equal. Ask to see the Blue Flame Oil Stoves. No trimming wicks. Neat and clean. The Cabinet Grand Kurtzmann piano will be given away June 1st. Acorn Stoves and Ranges.

## J. H. Cody,

House Furnisher and Undertaker.  
22 to 30 Eagle Street.

## THE DARKIES WON

### North Adams was Defeated Friday by a Close Margin.

**PLENTY OF FUN WAS FURNISHED**

McCann's Home Run and Dooley's Batting were the Features of the Game. The Contest Not Decided Until the Eighth Inning.

Over 1000 people saw the Cuban X Giants defeat North Adams at Lawsonian field Friday afternoon by a score of 5 to 4. The game was all that could be wished for in the way of amusement and that it was not lacking in interest may readily be seen by a glance at the score by innings.

The colored players had lots of fun with themselves and even succeeded in getting McCann mad before the end of the game. They also furnished sport for the spectators with their queer sayings and mannerisms. But McCann had them guessing from first to last they not only guessed which curve would develop but also had to keep an eye out for their personal safety. W. Jackson was in the way of the ball once, 'Buck' Williams, the funny man took two hard knocks on his plump back without a jump, and O. Jackson and Barton were not slighted for each received a black and blue mark through McCann's occasional unsteadiness. The darkies did not seem to be injured so much physically as mentally and their constant appeals to Mac to 'put 'em over de rubber' only made that individual the madder.

North Adams went at the game with a rush and made two runs in both the first and second innings. Then they stopped their sprinting for the "coons" got the dust out of their eyes. Scharf started the game in his usual becoming manner, landing a clear hit over the short stops head for a single. Drew, known as the "Ponder" came along with a dandy drive by the pitcher over second base, out into the grass in center field ground "Shine" Mote went out on an easy fly to the third baseman, and O'Brien made a nice sacrifice hit to Nelson, advancing Scharf to third and Drew to second. Then Dooley, the man who has been so much blamed for his decisions, took up the willow.

"Buck" Williams cracked a joke on Dooley's legs and Dooley cracked the ball. His crack took better with the crowd than Williams, for the ball went up and out like a bird and did not stop until it came hard against terra firma safe and sound in left field. Scharf almost got there but decided to stay at third. Sullivan long fly to O. Jackson was caught and Dooley was left where he had stopped after that grand hit for three bases.

In the second inning Yorkes was out on a foul fly to Williams. Summers did well. A clean hit landed all alone over the center fielder's head. McCann was the home run hero of the day. He took the first ball pitched and sent it just where he had dreamed of its being ever since he came to North Adams—over left field fence for a home run. M. O. Jackson tried to climb the fence but found it slippery and Summers and McCann strolled in home for two more runs.

During the remainder of the game North Adams tried in vain to get around the diamond. Quick double plays in the fifth and seventh were made by the Giants, while in the fourth, sixth and ninth the home team went out in one, two, three order.

The giants scored two runs in the first and another in the second and then they were retired in quick order until in the eighth when the winning tallies were made by O. Jackson and A. Jackson. A batter hit by a pitched ball, a stolen base, Summers' error the only one in the entire game, and Barton's long fly made the difference.

## OUR MEMORIAL DAY SPEAKER.

Something of the Remarkably Useful and Successful Life of Mr. Blake.

Mr. E. Nelson Blake, Esq., of Arlington, Mass., who will deliver the Memorial oration at the Grand Army hall Monday afternoon, is a man of remarkable force and ability. Born in Arlington, he in his early years went West, settling in Chicago, and there became quite prominent in business circles, for several years was president of the stock exchange, a trustee of the Armour institute and one of the trustees of Chicago university. The fortune he there accumulated was a very large one. By the marriage of his daughter, he became the father-in-law of Editor H. H. Kohlsaat of the Chicago Times Herald, and was a prominent social leader in that city. Six or seven years ago Mr. Blake retired from business in Chicago and returned to his boyhood home to spend the remainder of his life, but not in idleness for he is now the president and was the one to establish the First National bank in that place, and is in other ways an active and useful and liberal citizen.

Mr. Blake has for many years been the staunch and interested friend of the Grand Army, and has been a liberal donor to G. A. R. homes in different places. His liberality has made his name well known to many deserving causes.

North Adams people will have the privilege of hearing a fine oration, spoken by a man of brain and energy and truly patriotic spirit, at Grand Army hall Monday afternoon.

## The Swards Return.

On next Monday night those popular North Adams favorites, Frederic and Minnie Seward, will begin an engagement at summer prices at the Wilson. A number of popular plays will be presented and every night a brilliant melange of songs, music and catchy specialties will be introduced. The Swards need no introduction here. They have always given first-class performances and as a result have done a good business in North Adams.

On this visit the Wilson opera house will be thoroughly overhauled, cleaned and put in first-class shape from "stem to stern" and our theatre goers may prepare for a series of excellent entertainments at very low prices. The sale of seats for the opening performances is now in progress at the Wilson house drug store. For Monday night, ladies will be given the best seats in the house when accompanied by some one with a paid reserved seat ticket.

## OLD RIVALS!

### Two Great Games!

Williams will meet her greatest rivals in two great games of base ball on Saturday and Monday next.

**Amherst vs. Williams,**  
Saturday, p. m., May 29

**Cornell vs. Williams**  
Monday, p. m., May 31

**Weston Field, Williamstown**

## HOOSAC SAVINGS BANK

Deposits begin to draw interest  
Dec. 1, March 1, June 1, Sept. 1.

**TRUSTEES**

O. A. Archer  
J. H. Briscoe  
W. W. Butler  
F. J. Barber  
E. Hamilton

Geo. W. Chase  
T. Collins  
S. H. Burdick  
J. E. Chase  
G. F. Lawrence

J. E. Hunter  
E. B. Pennington  
G. E. Perry  
W. W. Richmond  
J. E. Wetherbee

## TRIAL OF JOHN O'NEIL.

### Will Be Held at the July Term at Greenfield.

The trial of John O'Neil, Jr., of Shelburne Falls, on two charges of murdering Mrs. Hattie McCloud, will be held at the July term of the Franklin county superior court in Greenfield, which opens July 12. Two judges, not yet assigned, will sit during the trial of the case and the commonwealth will be represented by Attorney-General H. M. Knowlton, District Attorney John O. Hammond of Northampton and Frederick L. Greene of Greenfield, who has assisted Mr. Hammond in the prosecution. O'Neil's counsel are Messrs. Bee & DeWitt of this city. There will be 100 jurymen summoned, each serving 12 men, from which the 12 men to hear the case may be selected.

## Francis H. Soule.

Francis H. Soule, for several years an esteemed resident of this city, died at his home in New Haven, Conn., Friday morning after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was about 47 years old.

Mr. Soule had been engaged in railroad work from boyhood. He entered the service of the Fitchburg company and was employed for several years on the Vermont and Massachusetts division. About 1875 he came to North Adams as foreman of the car inspection department here of the Fitchburg road, which position he held until a few years ago, when he was made general inspector of the Fitchburg and other roads extending from Boston to Chicago with headquarters at Cleveland O. When that arrangement was discontinued Mr. Soule returned to the East and for a few years past he had been the general manager of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, with headquarters at New Haven.

Mr. Soule was very well known here and was highly respected and esteemed. He was a genial, warm hearted and true man and made friends of all with whom he was in any way associated. That he was proficient and reliable as a railroad man is attested by the responsible positions which he successively held.

Mr. Soule was a charter member of Olympian lodge, K. of P., of this city and had held every office in the lodge. He was also a member of the Baptist church and a teacher in the Sunday school.

The news of his death was sent by the Knights of Pythias in New Haven to J. T. Gould, secretary and treasurer of the endowment rank of the order here, and was a painful surprise to all of his many friends in this city. Mr. Soule was a perfect type of physical manhood, being large, powerful and apparently in the best of health, and his sudden death is an emphatic illustration of the uncertainty of life. He leaves a wife and two daughters who have the sympathy of many friends here and elsewhere in their bereavement.

The time of the funeral has not yet been learned. It is probable that delegations of Pythians and railroad men from this city and Williamstown will attend.

## District Court.

The following cases were in court this morning.

John Little was charged with drunkenness and pleaded guilty. He said he came from Schaghticoke, N. Y., Friday and was on his way to Engraving, where he expected to get work. He pleaded for leniency and promised to give the court no further trouble. He would let him off. The case was continued two weeks for judgment.

The continued cases against James Murnaghan for assault and disturbing the peace, and William O. Neill for drunkenness, were again continued, the hearing being set for June 3.

Dominick Grigola of Florida pleaded not guilty to the charge of failing to send two children to school as required by law. He was not ready for trial and the case was continued to June 4.

Adelbert Braman, charged with disturbing the peace, hearing continued to Tuesday.

## A Splendid Production.

"The Prisoner of Zenda" given before a fair sized audience at the Columbia opera house last evening was one of the finest productions given in North Adams in a long time. The play was put on by a Frenchman company. The scenery and the stage settings are very elaborate and the performance as a whole perfect.

The work of Benjamin Horning, as Rudolph, Benjamin Hendricks as Col. Sapt and Miss Una Abell as Princess Flavia was artistic and of a specially high order, all the cast doing excellently. Mr. Horning and Miss Abell were twice recalled at the end of the third act by the enthusiastic audience. Those who were not present missed a rare treat.

—All of the grocery stores of the city will be closed Monday.

## Pyrocure...

The best cure for PILES ever known.

Sure Remedy for Catarrh and Nasal Troubles and all Wounds and Bruises.

Try It! STAMFORD, Vt., that honest old town, furnishes the purely vegetable ingredients of this harmless, but effective remedy for man and beast.

Home Testimonials.

For Sale by North Adams Druggists.

THE PYROCURE CO. North Adams, Mass.

## Candy Special

—for Decoration Day, Monday only

### Finest Cream Chocolates 25c 1b...

## Farley's Pharmacy,

No. 6 Blackinton Block, Holden S.

## Don't Re-Shingle your Roofs

But save money and get a better roof by using our Asphalt Roofing. It is cheaper by one half than now shingles. It binds shingles close to the roof and makes them lay flat and stops all leaks. Guaranteed for 10 years.

We have the American Seal Mixed Paints. Best paints made.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

## O. S. Thayer,

40 State Street, Tel. 49-3

## HORTON'S CELEBRATED NEW YORK ICE CREAM

We have taken the agency for Horton's New York Ice Cream and are now prepared to sell it by the plate, quart, or gallon. Give it a trial. Telephone 126-2.

## Hosford & Torrey,

59 Main Street.

## Boston Store.

W. J. TAYLOR.

### BIG BARGAINS FOR FRIDAY

Read the following items. They will interest you. Prices about 1/2 if the former values. The goods are new quality the best latest styles.

**35 pcs Linen Lawns**  
60cm stripes and checks all the rage in New York. Prices have been 75c and 85c. Come quick they won't last long at the price. Choice of 100.

**FOR SATURDAY ONLY**  
Just received about 1000 of these French Chamois Gloves. We sold so many of last week the shades are cream white, pearl grey and tan. Regular price \$1.25 to 1.50. Now they go at 15 cents a yard.

And the big slump in prices. 50 pcs Mohair colored dress goods 25c a yard. The finest line of shirt waists in the country all new up-to-date styles. Prices range from 25c to 50c. A special line at 30c.

Agents BUTTRICK'S PATTERNS

## BOSTON STORE.

## Weber Bros

"The Wholesalers"

### Shoe Bargains

at the

**Big Store** 82 Main Street  
**Branch Store** 61 Main Street

For this week! Many lots are broken up as sizes but below cost. Bargains that are bargains. Read every item!

At both Stores.

**\$3 Men's Shoes** sizes 6 to 9. 100 pr fine russet. Last shoes, with McKay soles. Now selling for \$1.98.

**Ladies' \$2**  
Kut Button Boots, sizes 2 1/2 to 4. New stock. Now in close.

**100 prs**  
Ladies fine russet colored Oxford shoes sold by Rosell & Lyons at \$1.50 \$1.50 now.

**69c.**  
**98c.**

**\$1.19**  
75 pair Ladies fine Kid Button Boots, sizes 2 1/2 to 4. Worth \$2.50.

**\$2.50.**

**\$1.25**  
The best Ladies Black, Dongol and Oxford shoes ever sold in this city.

**49c.**  
Ladies' Kd plain opera slippers all sizes worth 75c.

**49c.**  
Children's Shoes 100 pr sizes 6 to 8. Black and Colored Button style.